

Docket No.: 1560-0471PUS1
(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Osamu FUJITA

Application No.: 10/594,590

Confirmation No.: 5637

Filed: September 28, 2006

Art Unit: N/A

For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR
CALCULATING IMPORTANT
COMPONENTS WITH HIGHER PRIORITY

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated April 30, 2007, Applicant respectfully submits:

- ☒ Attached is a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements (371 Formalities Letter).
- ☐ Attached is the Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney ☐ Original ☐ Photocopy.
- ☐ The specification attached to the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney is a true copy of the specification that was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on September 28, 2006, including any amendments thereto (if applicable) filed on even date therewith.
- ☐ The undersigned hereby declares that "Attorney Docket No. 1560-0471PUS1" on page 1 of the attached Inventors' Declaration corresponds to Appl. No. 10/594,590 filed September 28, 2006 entitled "METHOD AND DEVICE FOR CALCULATING IMPORTANT COMPONENTS WITH HIGHER PRIORITY."

☒ Attached is an English language translation of the above-identified Application, the Amended Pages, and International Report on Patentability that was filed in a foreign language, which should be used as the copy for examination purposes.

X See the attached Translator's Verification; or

The undersigned states that the English translation attached hereto is a true and correct translation of the application as originally filed in a foreign language.

☒ Attached are 19 sheet(s) of drawings. Please substitute these replacement drawings for the corresponding 13 sheet(s) of drawings on file in the above-identified application.

☐ Attached are substitute claims commencing on a separate sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(h).

☐ Attached is a substitute abstract commencing on a separate sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.72(b).

☐ Attached is a substitute specification that complies with 37 C.F.R. § 1.52. The substitute specification does not contain new matter.

☐ Attached is an preliminary amendment.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

☐ Attached is a Supplemental Application Data Sheet (ADS).

☐ Submitted concurrently herewith under separate cover for recording is an Assignment.

☐ Attached is a Petition for Extension of Time.

☒ The Government Filing Surcharge for late filing of English Translation of the application in the amount of \$130.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.494 and 1.492 was previously paid for concurrently with the filing of the application on September 28, 2006.

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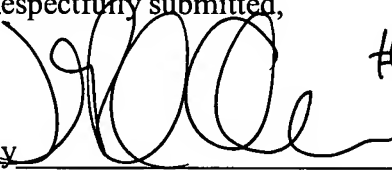

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☐ Attached hereto is the fee transmittal listing the required fees.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/28/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/28/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 09/28/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 09/28/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 09/28/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 09/28/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/28/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 09/28/2006
- Specification filed on 09/28/2006
- Claims filed on 09/28/2006

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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CERTIFICATE OF TRANSLATION

I, KOHNO Takao, 4-3, Tsurigane-cho 2-chome, Chuo-ku, Osaka
540-0035, Japan, hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and
belief the attached English translation is a true translation, made by me
and for which I accept responsibility, of the PCT application number
PCT/JP2005/004452, filed in Japan on the 14th day of March, 2005, in the
name of FUJITA Osamu.

This 21th day of November, 2006

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